

## THE COURTS.

**CIRO'S ANSWER TO MRS. CON'S CHARGES.**

An order to show cause why the order of arrest should not be vacated and the ball reduced from \$12,000 to \$2,500 was granted yesterday by Judge Freedman in the Superior Court, Chambers, on the application of Christopher Fine in behalf of his client, Edelberta Giro, who was arrested and lodged in Ludlow Street Jail on Tuesday, on the complaint of Caroline C. Cox. The order was made returnable on July 15.

Giro says that when he met Mrs. Cox, who had responded to his advertisement for a wife at the station of the Elevated Railway in Rector's, he was unfavorably impressed with her and found her to be much older than "middle aged." She admitted that she was sixty-five, while he was only forty. He recommended ideas of marriage, and tried so to signify her, she asked him to call upon her at No. 35 Macdonald Street, Brooklyn, but he did not, and was surprised the next day when calling upon him of his own accord. She acknowledged that she was the mother of his objections to marriage, and suggested that they might be removed if Giro asserted that whatever he said to her was true and Giro asserted that whatever he said to her was true and that all she said of Martindale's were pure fabrications. He decries something money of which he was willing to sell that as he was short of ready cash, and was willing to sell some of his possessions. Mrs. Cox was satisfied and gave him 16 shares, amounting to \$2,510. He says that he never received any money from her other than the \$2,510. He declares that he never made any improper proposals to her.

The defense says, the first notice that he has had of any claim or charge against him on her part.

## TELEGRAPH POLES IN PARK AVENUE.

An application was made to Judge Laramore in the Court of Common Pleas, Chambers, yesterday, in behalf of Emily Fowler, for an injunction restraining the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company from erecting a telegraph pole, cross-piece and wires in front of her premises, at Park-ave., and Sixty-eighth-st. The plaintiff claims that the erection of these poles in Park-ave., which is a public park from Sixty-seventh-to-Ninety-sixth-st., is without the consent of the Park Department, which has refused to grant permission to the company for their erection; that if this pole is put up in front of her house it will injure her property and make it less valuable by sending water referred to does not belong to the city of New York, is not a public park, and that, therefore, the Park Commissioners cannot interfere with the erection of poles there. Judge Laramore denied the application, and the court adjourned the matter to Tuesday at 11 a.m. Aaron P. Whitehead appeared for the plaintiff, and Burton N. Harrison for the defendant.

## ATTACHMENTS AGAINST CARIHART, WHITFORD &amp; CO.

Nine attachments were obtained from Judge Freedman yesterday against the property of Carihart, Whitford & Co., on the affidavit of Arnold Davidson, the expert accountant employed to examine the books of the firm. The attachments were to the following: The Assabet Manufacturing Company, \$13,941 56; Hyde & Burton, \$3,357 05; Briggs, Enz & Co., \$1,691; Elshoff, A. Allen, \$3,770 24; John Chase & Sons, \$26,393 31; Brown, Wood & Kingman, \$8,052 44; Clegg, E. & Co., \$6,404 43; F. V. Vallenberg & Son, \$7,924 73; the total, \$108,245 58. Mr. Davidson charges that the withdrawal of large sums of money from the bank account of the firm, while they were engaged in their business, was made to increase their individual debts in fraud of the rights of the firm's creditors.

## CONTESTING THE WILL OF ROSA V. BURNS.

Surrogate Rollins yesterday issued a writ of habeas corpus in the case over the will of Rosa V. Burns, the daughter of Ross Burns, a lawyer well known in the West, who disappeared mysteriously several years ago. Believing him to be dead, Mrs. Burns married a Mr. Spar, who died in 1862, and the widow then learned that her husband had a son, who had sacrificed their nest-egg, in whose family she lived at the time of her death. Mrs. Spar is contesting the will on the ground of undue influence. A postscript to the will, added yesterday, states that he died in 1862, and that he was entirely connected with the De Martin family, when he came to this country in 1852, and had until the day before his death been in the office of D. H. Phillips, a lawyer, that the deceased woman read the will two days before she died and then returned to his reading it to her, who had never mentioned any relatives. The case was adjourned until September.

## BITS OF COURT NEWS.

In the action of the Second National Bank against Joseph E. Van, to recover \$61,185,000 alleged to have been converted to his own use by Mr. Eno while president of the bank, Judge Van Bent yesterday ordered the service of summons to be made by publication.

An application was made to Judge Van Bent in the Superior Court, Chambers, yesterday, by Walter C. Strode for the appointment of a receiver with ex-officio power to collect debts due to the bank by Judge Asbel Green for the benefit of the stockholders in the company. The receiver is to be stockholder in the company and that Receiver Green is waiting the property of the company and that it is in the interest of the stockholders that another receiver be appointed. Decree was reserved.

## QUAIN JAPANESE IVORY CARVINGS.

## EXTRACTING A TOOTH FROM THE JAW OF A DRAGON—CUTTLEFISH AND MONKEYS.

In a large case in the front part of Tiffany's store are a number of Japanese carvings in ivory of various sizes and of the most marvellous character. The largest piece is an arrangement in intricate form to simulate a mountain peak. Holes have been drilled to represent caves, and in them and about the mountain are odd dwarfs like gnomes in a great state of perturbation at the appearance of a hero with a drawn sword in one hand and something resembling lightning in the other. The figures are all in ivory, and from the decoration of the material, appear to be of some antiquity. An important group of two cutters making a sword. This is a modern piece.

Many of the objects are full of quaint humor which distinguishes the Japanese. One of the funniest is a dwarf extracting a tooth from the lower jaw of a large dragon which is curled up comically and is half raising one of its claws from the mouth. The eyes bulge out as if the mouth canister was overcome with surprise and rage and ready to faint. A playful group is that of a huge cuttelfish and monkeys. It has been tilted to the top of his head, and two others are clinging to his arms and evidently begging for a share of the prey, the pictrure being highly grotesque.

Frogs appear to be objects of great fun to the "Japs." Two children are playing with a frog, one a child, one of the nettocks, who is running up with a breathless appearance, a small frog is attempting to climb the child's robe and the other child has another frog in his pocket and is giving it from time to time. A large piece which represents a stately elephant, on whose back a howdah. In it are a child and a woman. A man-like dragon has crawled up the elephant's howdah and is biting the child's ear. The woman has the beast by the tail and is attempting to pull him down.

All the objects are distinguished by the wonderful finish of the carving, and the vitality and spirit with which the artist tells the story.

## A PIONEER UPTOWN TRUST COMPANY.

On Friday Monday the Knickerbocker Trust Company will begin business at the northwest corner of Fifth-ave. and Twenty-seventh-st., the only up-town trust company established among the great banks and safe-deposit companies which are doing business in a part of the city that several years ago was sacred from business intrusion. The officers of the company are Frederick H. Estlin, president; Charles T. Barney, vice-president, and John T. Brown, secretary. Directors consist of Joseph S. Auchincloss, Charles T. Barney, James H. Breslin, C. T. Cook, Joseph W. Drexel, G. Eliadson, Jacob Hays, A. Foster Higgins, Harry C. Jones, W. H. Mayo, H. M. Moore, Andrew H. Sands, James M. Waterbury, Charles H. Wetting. Among the many prominent stockholders are J. Pierpont Morgan, Edward Clark, A. S. Hewitt, W. K. Vanderbilt, Samuel D. Babcock, Alexander Mitchell, C. T. Tilden and Ira Davenport.

## FRIENDLESS AND IN TROUBLE IN THE CITY.

The police at the Grand Central Depot on Wednesday saw Alice Foley, age fifteen, weeping, to learn that she had come from Watertown, N. Y., expecting to meet a relative. She was taken to Police Headquarters, where she said that upon the death of her parents some years ago she was adopted into a family named Gilligan. Several months ago she was betrayed by her foster-father, Edward Gilligan, who is only seventeen years old. The lad was sent to live with Alice, who was taken back to Watertown yesterday by an agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. It was said that steps had been taken to arrest Gilligan.

## NOT A BAD DAY FOR THE SEASON.

The atmosphere was oppressive and somewhat "sticky," yesterday. At 3 a.m. the thermometer registered 70° by 6 o'clock it had fallen to one degree, but by 9 a.m. it had mounted to 75°. At noon the mercury stood at 81, and at 3:30 p.m. it had climbed to 80. The temperature had indeed gone up steadily, and by gathering clouds screened the sun, and a heavy increasing velocity. Taken altogether yesterday was not a bad day for this season of the year, and most people were thankful that it was no worse.

## SPETH'S CASE REMOVED TO KINGS COUNTY.

August C. Speth, one of the three men who were arrested on July 2, on charges of being concerned in a conspiracy to defraud the Elevated Railways by the sale of forged tickets, was taken to the District Attorney's

office yesterday for the purpose of giving bail. Assistant District Attorney Allen filed a complaint on the charges, that the alleged forgery was committed in Brooklyn. Detective Von Gerichten was sent to Brooklyn, and remained there until yesterday morning, and returned with an evidence book from Brooklyn, and William H. Peter, who were arrested. Speth has not been indicted.

## OUTDOOR SPORTS.

MONMOUTH PARK TO-DAY.

LARGE FIELDS AND A FINE PROGRAMME.

To-day's racing at Monmouth Park will be highly attractive. Kinchke and Barnes are likely to make a fine display of speed. Barnes's victory over Driskill Carter for the Monmouth Cup and Kinchke's triumph over Jack of Hearts show that both are in their best condition. In the two-year-old race there are some excellent youngsters, and if Mr. Pines sends the twelve-year-old horses of his, his objections to Barnes' and Giro's asserts that whatever he said to her was true and that all she said of Martindale's were pure fabrications. He decries something money of which he was willing to sell that as he was short of ready cash, and was willing to sell some of his possessions. The horse which won the year in this race, King and Chinkoray are the other starters. In the four remaining races the fields are large, and include many good horses.

## FIRST RACE, SPECIAL WEIGHTS, 1 1/4 MILES.

Name. Age. Weight. Name. Age. Weight.

Dover Bird... 5 115 Pinto... 5 118

D. O. W. Thors... Kinglike... 5 115

D. L. Brooks... Virgil... 5 103

SECOND RACE, ATLANTIC STAKES, TWO-YEAR-OLDS, 3 1/2 MILE.

Name. Age. Weight. Name. Age. Weight.

Dovey Bird... Rhode... 5 115

P. L. Lefford... Kinglike... 5 107

Chiossana's Stable Gismo... 5 107

D. D. Kelly... Fan Fair... 5 105

G. J. K. St. P. ... Almon... 5 105

G. J. K. St. P. ... Stamps... 5 105

H. L. Edwards... Cooperstown... 5 105

J. L. Edwards... Mortimer... 5 105

M. K. Kelly... Mystery... 5 105

P. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

THIRD RACE, STOCKTON STAKES, THREE-YEAR-OLDS, 1 1/4 MILES.

Name. Age. Weight. Name. Age. Weight.

Dover Bird... Rhode... 5 115

P. L. Lefford... Kinglike... 5 107

T. P. T. ... Kinglike... 5 108

E. D. Waters... Pumper... 5 115

F. D. Waters... Case... 5 111

FOURTH RACE, HANDICAP, 1 1/4 MILES.

Name. Age. Weight. Name. Age. Weight.

Dover Bird... Rhode... 5 115

P. L. Lefford... Kinglike... 5 108

Hector... 5 111 Lord Edward... 5 108

Buckstone... 5 109 Roy Choke... 5 108

E. D. Waters... Pumper... 5 115

F. D. Waters... Case... 5 111

G. J. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

H. L. Edwards... Cooperstown... 5 105

J. L. Edwards... Mortimer... 5 105

K. L. Edwards... Mystery... 5 105

L. L. Edwards... Fresh... 5 105

M. K. Kelly... Case... 5 105

N. L. Edwards... Fresh... 5 105

O. L. Edwards... Fresh... 5 105

P. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

Q. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

R. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

S. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

T. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

U. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

V. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

W. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

X. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

Y. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

Z. F. K. St. P. ... Fresh... 5 105

THIRD RACE, CORINTHIAN STAKES, HIGH HANDICAP, 1 MILE.

Name. Age. Weight. Name. Age. Weight.

Missouri Ge... 5 105 C. M. dry... 5 105

Missouri Ge... 5 106 N.Y. Cent... 5 107

Missouri Ge... 5 107 N.Y. Cent... 5 108

Missouri Ge... 5 108 N.Y. Cent... 5 109

Missouri Ge... 5 109 N.Y. Cent... 5 110

Missouri Ge... 5 110 N.Y. Cent... 5 111

Missouri Ge... 5 111 N.Y. Cent... 5 112

Missouri Ge... 5 112 N.Y. Cent... 5 113

Missouri Ge... 5 113 N.Y. Cent... 5 114

Missouri Ge... 5 114 N.Y. Cent... 5 115

Missouri Ge... 5 115 N.Y. Cent... 5 116

Missouri Ge... 5 116 N.Y. Cent... 5 117

Missouri Ge... 5 117 N.Y. Cent... 5 118

Missouri Ge... 5 118 N.Y. Cent... 5 119

Missouri Ge... 5 119 N.Y. Cent... 5 120

Missouri Ge... 5 120 N.Y. Cent... 5 121

Missouri Ge... 5 121 N.Y. Cent... 5 122

Missouri Ge... 5 122 N.Y. Cent... 5 123

Missouri Ge... 5 123 N.Y. Cent... 5 124

Missouri Ge... 5 124 N.Y. Cent... 5 125

Missouri Ge... 5 125 N.Y. Cent... 5 126

Missouri Ge... 5 126 N.Y. Cent... 5 127

Missouri Ge... 5 127 N.Y. Cent... 5 128

Missouri Ge... 5 128 N.Y. Cent... 5 129

Missouri Ge... 5 129 N.Y. Cent... 5 130

Missouri Ge... 5 130 N.Y. Cent... 5 131

Missouri Ge... 5 131 N.Y. Cent... 5 132